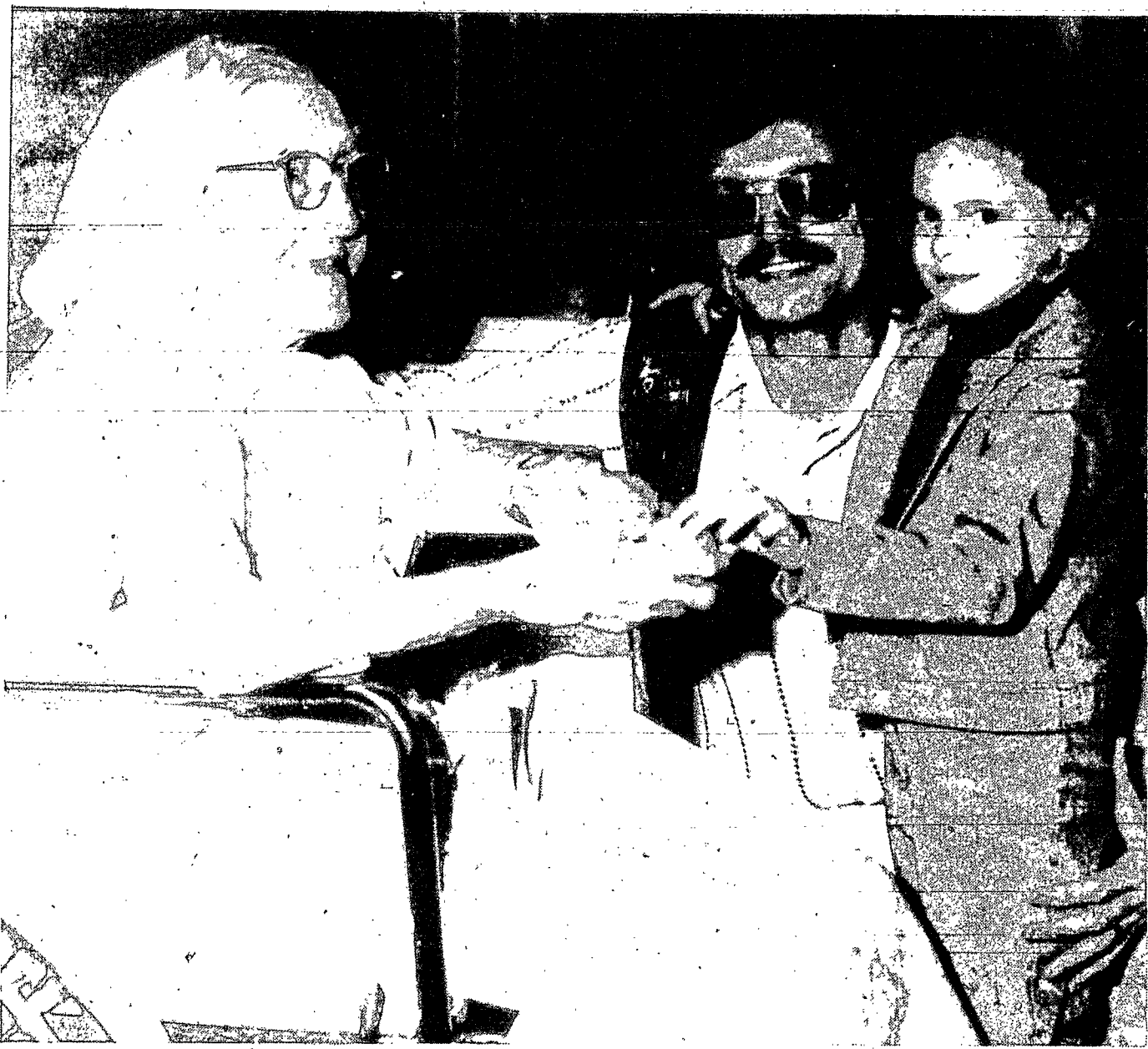


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**Jaycees bring Christmas joy**  
 The Waveland Jaycees brought a bit of Christmas joy to patients at Gulf View Haven Nursing Home Saturday with a decorated Christmas tree, presents, and baskets of fruit. Jay Harris, Waveland, Jaycees president, and his daughter Hillary are pictured bringing a smile to Mrs. Marie Monti.  
 —Photo by Bob Hubbard

## Mayors forfeit Yule glow in energy measure

In an effort to conserve energy, Christmas street decorations in the municipalities of Bay St. Louis, and Waveland, have been limited or curtailed altogether.

Mayor Warren Carver of Bay St. Louis said Monday that he issued an order not to erect the electrically operated street display this year as an energy saving measure.

"It is strictly my decision," Carver said. "I firmly and strongly believe that where there is a place we can save energy, then we should."

"As a nation we have been asked to save energy, and I feel we should comply," Carver added. If predictions are to be trusted, Carver said, America is faced with a chronic shortage of natural gas and "frankly," the Mayor added, "I would rather see people warm than use that energy in a wasteful manner."

Waveland Mayor John Longo, Jr., echoed his companion mayor's sentiments.

"The City of Waveland has curtailed its street lighting display for Christmas since the beginning of the current energy shortage," Longo said.

"We have decorated our city hall and main street with non-lit displays in an energy saving manner."

Both mayors agreed that should the energy situation relax authorization will be promptly forthcoming for the reestablishment of electrical displays.

Mayor Carver noted the bit of irony in his decision.

"I am not against Christmas decorations and realize both their significance and worth. In fact, I was the one who originally made the motion to buy the \$4,000 worth of city street decorations we are now leaving in storage."

## Board to petition court for return of land sold to bankrupt Jackson Landing Shipyards

A resolution calling for a county petition to be placed into the federal bankruptcy proceedings of Jackson Landing Shipyard Inc. was approved by the Hancock County Board of Supervisors during Monday's meeting.

The petition calls for the return to the county of 35 acres in the Port Bienville Industrial Park which was sold to Jackson Landing for \$87,500 during September, 1974.

Wilson Webre, port director, told the board that the company's failure to begin operations to construct offshore drilling platforms within a given period was in violation of the industrial park protective covenant.

Speaking in behalf of the Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission, Webre said "We feel this is a test case," adding "speculation on county land could jeopardize the entire covenant structure."

In 1923 the public was informed that the ancient Washington Elm had died. Our early lessons in physics, however, have taught us that "nothing is created or destroyed; it changes form."

Precious boards cut from the Washington Elm became the property of the Old Schwamb Mill which is now operated by a non profit historical, educational and charitable trust. The mill's craftspeople made from the wood of the Washington Elm oval spandrel frames. The frames measure five inches high by four inches wide. Fashioned in simple Colonial style, these frames are hand-rubbed and topped by the traditional eighteenth century solid brass hanging rings. Each frame contains an original print of George Washington taking command of the Colonial Army beneath the great elm. The original painting was the work of artist Marjorie B. Cohn, who still works in the near-extinct medium of woodblock engravings. An engraved nameplate on the face of each frame gives the legend: "From the wood of the Washington Elm."

The woodblock has an interesting history, too. It is of boxwood, hand-engraved in the technique and style traditional to the eighteenth century. Just two hundred prints were produced from the original woodblock, one for each year since 1776. Now the block has been altered so that it can never again be used in its original form. Cancellation of the original woodblock for prints has been certified by notarized affidavit.

## Supervisors request state audit

By CAROLE LANGE

The Hancock County Board of Supervisors voted unanimously Monday to ask the State Auditor's Office for a complete audit of all beat accounts for the past four years.

The motion, made by Beat One Supervisor Jerry Ladner, came following a request by Bert Courge, beat one supervisor-elect, that the beat one account be audited "due to the controversy surrounding the lack of funds," Courge said.

Courge asked for the audit during the Board's refusal last month to pay beat one claims, including labor for November, due to a shortage in the beat account.

Ladner said the Board could approve the beat one docket "and pay it legally," but Board Attorney Sam Farve reiterated that the docket could not be paid because it exceeded one-fourth of Ladner's annual budget.

Ladner accused beat two supervisor Dolph Kellar and Favre of "creating the position I'm in" and leveled an additional charge at Favre saying he "insisted" that beat one employees sue Ladner's bonding company for their wages.

Following much verbal sparring between Ladner, Kellar, and Favre, the Board approved payment of the December docket for beat one, subject to incoming funds.

At the end of the discussion, following the vote, Ladner repeated his comment of last month, "When I leave office, beat one will be left in better shape than it has ever been left in by an outgoing supervisor."

In other business, the Board approved five commissioners of the newly incorporated Kilm Water and Fire Protection District. They include C. J. Mauffray, one year term; Glen Stockstill, two year term; James Breazeale, three year term; Cleveland Wyatt Jr., four year term; and Robert G. Bilbo, five year term.

## Medicare deductible rising '12 Jan. 1st

The Medicare hospital insurance deductible will be \$104 starting Jan. 1, according to Charles E. Wofford, social security district manager in Gulfport.

"A Medicare patient who goes into a hospital and starts a benefit period after Dec. 31 will be responsible for the first \$104 of the hospital bill," Wofford said.

The 1975 deductible was \$92. Under the Medicare law, the amount of the deductible is tied to the average cost of one day's stay in a hospital.

"The increase to \$104 for 1976 is a result of a review of hospital costs during 1974," Wofford said. "However, the present \$92 deductible remains in effect throughout any benefit period that started in 1975 even if the period of hospitalization goes into 1976."

Under the law, the increase in the deductible means there also will be increases starting Jan. 1 in three other amounts Medicare patients pay for covered care.

For a hospital stay of over 60 days, the patient will pay \$26 a day (up from \$23) for covered services furnished on the 61st through the 90th day.

For a post-hospital stay of over 20 days in a skilled nursing facility, the patient will pay \$13 a day (up from \$11.50) for the 21st through the 100th day.

For reserve days used—after 90 days of hospital care in a benefit period—the patient will pay \$52 a day (up from \$46).

Medicare hospital insurance helps pay for hospital stays and certain post-hospital care of people 65 and over, disabled people under 65 who have been entitled to social security disability benefits for 24 consecutive months or more, and many people who have permanent kidney failure.

Medicare is administered by the Social Security Administration, an agency of the U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.



... and there will be peace."  
 Christmas Greetings from the Sea Coast Echo

## House bill would speed up Social Security appeal cases

WASHINGTON — Legislation approved early this week by the House of Representatives could reduce waiting time for Social Security appeal cases to 90 days, according to Congressman Trent Lott (R-Miss.).

H.R. 10727, Expediting the Holding of Hearings Under the Social Security Act, won easy approval Monday after it was considered under the suspension rules of the House. Lott voted for the measure.

"Frankly, this is something that should have been done long ago," Lott said. "It's disgraceful the way Social Security recipients have been forced to wait for months at a time just to have their appeal considered. I certainly hope that this action will streamline the adjudication process and bring the Social Security System closer to the people it was designed to serve."

The bill will terminate HEW's authority to appoint hearing examiners for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) cases. Additionally, it will authorize previously appointed SSI examiners to conduct hearings on SSI, Medicare and Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI) cases.

At present, appeals procedures differ for SSI, Medicare, and OASDI cases. SSI appeals are heard by Social Security hearing examiners while OASDI and Medicare appeals are heard by Administrative Law Judges appointed under the Administrative Procedure Act.

The bill also shortens Social Security and Medicare appeal filing time from six months to 60 days after initial decisions are made.

The measure must be approved by the Senate and signed by the President before its provisions become effective.

## Health department announces closing

Dr. Louis H. Jobe Jr., director, announced the Hancock County Health Department will be closed for the Christmas holidays from noon Wednesday, Dec. 24 through Friday, Dec. 26.

The clinic will reopen Monday, Dec. 29.

SEASON'S Greetings





### Pearlington's big bumpers

Twosome practice bumps for Pearlington Rockets. Involved in practice at Charles B. Murphy Elementary are Bumpadere Glenda Hughes, left, and Bumpadere Michelle Lennine. —Photo by Jake Jacob

### Extension 4-H-William Goodwin

## Awards night held for deserving 4-Hers

The annual 4-H awards night was held Monday night at Hancock North Central School Cafeteria, attended by 4-H members, parents, leaders and sponsors. Sixty-four 4-H members received a total of 100 awards. Several special awards were presented.

"I Dare You" Awards for leadership were presented to Karen Bernos and Rickey Curet. This award is sponsored by the "I Dare You" Committee of Ralston Purina. Outstanding 4-H Member Awards were presented to Dolly Rester for the outstanding girl and Chip Lee for the outstanding boy. These awards were sponsored by the Hancock County Farm Bureau.

## Echoes

Christmas carols and fine fare were enjoyed at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Cottrell on Highway 603 in Pearlington, over the weekend when they staged their annual Christmas "open house."

Those joining in the festivities included Bobby W. Nicholson and family; Harry Hoff and family; Rev. Walter Porter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Giveans, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Giveans, Andrew Popsack, Mrs. Earnestine Davis and granddaughter Gwoni Wall, Mrs. Jeanette Bernatand, Mark Hardy, and "Tink" Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. George Proulx and children of Blytheville, Ark., are spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Chavis and family.

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### Little bumpers

Michell Benigno and Muriel Reynolds cheer squad kept "bumping" most of game shake out "the bump" during recent basketball game between their school, Charles B. Murphy Elementary, Pearlington, and Pearl River County. Tiny

—Photo by Jake Jacob

## Bam Bars closes gap to win at Oak Downs

(Special to The Echo) PEARL RIVER, La. — Bam Bars came from behind to win a five-horse, three furlong race here Sunday at Oak Downs.

Owned by Lesli Dedeaux and trained by Larry Favre, both of Hancock County, Bam Bars trailed the leader Al Stream in the turn but jockey Charlie Silkwood urged Bam Bars to a narrow victory at the wire.

Bam Bars was timed in 37.79 seconds while Al Stream was clocked in 37.81. In a mild upset, Van Fol Mike, owned and trained by James Watson of Bay St. Louis, defeated Perry's Gem in the 300-yard 16th race run in darkness.

In another race of interest, invading Bay Bull Rider handed Fiber Test his first loss in several months. Fiber Test broke badly from the starting gate and made up more than one length but missed at the finish line.

Sunday's results: 1) 3 furlongs, Trouble No. More, 38.73 seconds, Jake Polk, owner; Red Crowe, trainer; Dennis Ory, jockey. Poppa Pluto, 39.79. Bang Bang, third.

2) 300 yards, Return Chance, 16.66, Bill King, owner; Dave Sullivan, trainer; Freddie Garvin Jr., jockey. Jealous Judy, 16.83. One For Money, 17.03. Sandy Red Star, 17.26.

3) 350 yards, Mr. Rebel Man, 18.54, Charles Lyles, owner and trainer; Sterling Skelton, jockey. Docky Bar Kan, 18.57. Go Kenny Go, 19.105.

4) 3 furlongs, Bam Bars, 37.79, Lesli Dedeaux, owner; Larry Favre, trainer; Charlie

Silkwood, jockey. Al Stream, 37.81, Little Sixty, 37.92, Miss Ann, 38.00, Sand Dollar, 38.12. 5) 350 yards, Bay Bull Rider, 18.44, V.A. McCarthy, owner and trainer; Randy Reeves, jockey. Fiber Test, 18.455.

6) 330 yards, Palomino Express, 17.85, Arthur Kahoe, owner and trainer; Charlie Silkwood, jockey. Tonto Golden Bars, 17.97, Top Road, 18.11.

7) 440 yards, Tine Stinky Bee, 23.11, Eddie Mitchell, owner; Bobby Mitchell, trainer; Howard Pierce, jockey. Blue Devil Deck, 23.275. Haleigh's Comet, 23.325.

8) 300 yards, Cookie's Red Boy, 16.19, C.E. Summers, owner; Merlin Marchal, trainer; Ralph Shubert, jockey. Esso Chick, 16.27, Bo Rimo, 16.53, Sporty Dial, 16.67, Luke The Drifter, 16.81.

9) 250 yards, Natalie Go Quick, no time, Harold Baudy, owner and trainer; Charlie Silkwood, jockey. Ankor's Luck, second.

10) 400 yards, Go Fails Go, 21.85, Jackie Whitfield, owner; Louis Burge, trainer; Dennis Ory, jockey. On and On, 22.015, Reckless Rebel, 22.035, Spunky, 22.28.

11) 250 yards, Shorty, 13.94, George Pierce, owner and trainer; Howard Pierce, jockey. Smooth Johnny, 14.06, Cause, 14.55, Shiny, fourth.

12) 5 furlongs, Bashful Scholar, 1:05.56, Eddie Zundel, owner and trainer; Steve Roubion, jockey. Flying Joe, second. LaCleave, third.

13) 400 yards, Trudy, no time, Henry Lacy, owner; Louis Smith, trainer; Charlie Silkwood, jockey. Rock On Moon, second. LaScorpion, third.

## Echoes

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bachmann had as guests last week Mr. and Mrs. Karl Steinhilber and children Todd and Karl of Tulsa, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scanna Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Scanna of Pasadena, Texas, are spending the holidays with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Scanna Sr. in Bay St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Andrews, Long Beach; and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Langenbacher, Waveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wade have as holiday guests his father, Robert L. Wade, of Rantoul, Ill., and Mrs. Wade's mother, Mrs. Ruth Green, of Franklin, La.

Mrs. Richard Russell and sons Russ and Todd of St. Petersburg, Fla., are spending the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kergosien.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heltzmann will have with them for the Christmas holidays their son-in-law and daughter Major and Mrs. James Duffy and daughters Jeannette, Michele and Karen of Bossier City, La.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Michel were Mr. and Mrs. Jean Sabatier, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller and Mr. and Mrs. S. Peptide of New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Michel will have as a guest over the holidays her sister, Mrs. Mable Bosarge, of Biloxi.

The U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics collects, analyzes, and publishes data relating to wages, prices, productivity, employment, and the performance of the Nation's economy.

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### Tides

DAY	HIGH	LOW
WEEK OF 12-25-75 BAY OF ST. LOUIS		
Thurs. 7:13p.m.	10:44a.m.	
Fri. 7:20p.m.	7:05a.m.	
Sat. 7:53p.m.	6:57a.m.	
Sun. 8:28p.m.	7:29a.m.	
Mon. 9:14p.m.	8:14a.m.	
Tues. 10:00p.m.	9:00a.m.	
Wed. 10:49p.m.	9:34a.m.	
Thurs. 11:34p.m.	10:28a.m.	

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### Three elephants

J. Ashton-Greene of Pass Christian, left, poses with Vice President Nelson Rockefeller at Southern Republican Conference staged recently in Houston. Jerry Loving of Ocean Springs, right, was part of East coastal state group which included Victor Mavar from Biloxi.



### Pageant rehearsal spectators

Watching action at Charles B. Murphy School's Christmas pageant rehearsal are Duiquan Griffin, left, and Ladonna Peters.

Pearlington school's presentation was judged by parents as being "huge success."

—Photo by Jake Jacob

## New home tax credit offered those who buy before Dec. 31

JACKSON, — Dec. 31 is a key date for anyone who is planning to buy a new home. New home buyers may be entitled to a Federal tax credit up to a maximum of \$2,000. For married persons filing separately, \$1,000 if they purchase a home which qualifies for the credit or sign a binding contract for purchase of a qualifying residence before Jan. 1.

"Since this is a tax credit which could substantially reduce a person's tax liability," said William Daniel, IRS District Director for Mississippi, "taxpayers should know about the credit and the conditions required to claim it on their tax returns."

In addition to the stipulation that a binding contract must be signed prior to Jan. 1, Daniel named five other conditions that must be met. First, the residence must be a new previously unoccupied house, condominium, townhouse, or mobile home. Second, the house must be the buyer's principal residence. Third, construction of the home must have begun before March 26, 1975. Fourth, the buyer must attach to his or her Federal income tax return a certification by the seller that the purchase price is the lowest offered sale price since February 28, 1975. Fifth, the residence must be acquired and occupied after March 12, 1975, and before

January 1, 1977.

There are exceptions to these conditions for persons building their own homes. The IRS recommends that these taxpayers contact the IRS for details.

"The IRS offers a free document, Publication 591, 'Tax Credit for the New Home Buyer,' Daniel stated, "that answers the most asked questions about the credit and instructs taxpayers on how to claim the credit." This publication is available at IRS offices throughout the state or by writing: IRS Publications, 301 North Lamar Street, Jackson, Mississippi 39202. Be sure to include the publication name and number.

Daniel urged taxpayers who are entitled to the credit to take note of the Dec. 31 contract deadline and make sure they have all the records and papers needed to claim the credit.

### Tender Loving Care

Ersine Skelton, purchasing agent for HGH has just been elected Chairman of the Membership and Credential Committee for the Mississippi Association of Hospital Purchasing Agents 75-76. The responsibility of the Chairman is to recruit new members and stimulate interest in the Association to keep all members interested and active.

Department heads of HGH held their annual Christmas get-together, Sunday at the Ramada Inn in Long Beach. A buffet dinner was enjoyed by the department heads and their spouses.

Larry Wilson, son of Mrs. Henrietta Bell (Dietary) was visiting here this week. Larry was a former employee of HGH and is now in the Army.

Get well wishes to little J. E. Moran, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Moran who is a patient at Memorial Hospital at Gulfport.

HGH employees held their annual Christmas dinner in the cafeteria Tuesday. Each department brought a dish and gifts were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dobson attended the Saints-Chicago Bears game in New Orleans this weekend.

Mrs. Elda Duke is visiting family in Baton Rouge and Tennessee during the Christmas holidays.

The Business Office held their annual Christmas party in the Bobbie Trelles home this past weekend. This year there was live entertainment and everyone enjoyed music from PRC's band.

Plans are now underway for this year's cancer crusade which will be held the month of April in conjunction with the national crusade. It was announced last week by Margo Burge, executive director of the American Cancer Society-Coast District that state representative-elect J. P. Compretia will serve as this year's Hancock County Chairman. A meeting has been scheduled for Dec. 29 for interested persons wishing to volunteer for crusade work in this year's campaign against cancer.

The meeting will be held in Conference Room at HGH at 5 - 6 P.M.

### Aliens reminded

#### to report address

Troy A. Adams, Jr. of the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service stated that aliens in the United States will be required to report their addresses to the Attorney General within the near future.

All aliens (with few exceptions) who are in the United States on Jan. 1 each year must report their addresses by the end of that month.

Forms with which to make the report can be obtained from any Post Office or Immigration and Naturalization Service Office during the month of January.

Adams said that the law provides severe penalties for failure to comply with the reporting requirements.



### Christmas cut-outs

With scissors heading directly towards finger tips, Kristie Clark, kindergarten student, St. Clare's School,

Waveland, prepares Christmas cut-out in one of year's final school sessions.

—Photo by Jake Jacob

### Echoes

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Naman and children Edmond, Helen, Andrea, Marcia and Regina of Mobile, are spending the Christmas holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Blaize and family.

Karl Stechmann has returned from a three day hunting trip in the Louisiana marshes.

As a treat for Charles I of England, Queen Henrietta Maria had him served a pie containing a live dwarf.

DO YOU HAVE A DRINKING PROBLEM? Help is available through Alcoholics Anonymous for the problem drinker, and through Al-Anon for his or her family.

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### Pooch of the Week

Tiny Tim - A present for Christmas, a friend for life.

### Christmas pooch selection still good

Two Christmas pooch adoption days have been scheduled for 2 to 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 23, and Wednesday, Dec. 24, at the Waveland Animal Shelter on Spruce Street.

Started two weeks ago, the Christmas pooch program is proving popular and Bay-Waveland Humane Society members expect to make several puppy deliveries on Christmas Day.

A group spokesman said Tuesday that persons selecting a dog at the shelter can

opt to have Christmas Day delivery as part of the placement agreement.

Each dog will come equipped with card, food, flea collar, and a host of other "goodies."

On hand for adoption are, a 1-year-old, housebroken, male, part Chihuahua; a 6-month-old black, male, half cocker; a cream colored part German shepherd, 1-year-old; and a host of puppies.

Further information can be obtained from 467-7173, 467-9494, 467-9236, 467-3739.

### Protect trees properly when pruning limbs

Trees are usually pruned during winter months. Do your lawn trees need this kind of care?

When pruning limbs from the main trunk, the final cut should be flush with the main trunk leaving no stub. An asphalt base paint (roofing cement) should be applied on the exposed wood. This paint should not be applied over the bark area since the healing tissue grows from the area between the wood and bark. If the wound is not painted, rot and other diseases have an open-door invitation.

Topping and "dehorning" trees is usually more detrimental than beneficial. These wounds are slow to callus over and the asphalt base paint usually weathers

off or sloughs off before complete healing. Decay and insect problems usually arise from this type treatment of trees.

Call your Mississippi Forestry Commission County Forester for information concerning pruning and other tree care advice.

Little we fear weather without, sheltered about the Mahogany Tree.

— William Makepeace Thackeray (1811-1863)

Sincerely wishing you all the joys and blessings of the Christmas Season. May they follow you thru all the days of the year.

Dominic & Lillian Sonier



### Tea for two

Merry Christmas is a sight but really, let us observe a little formality. Tea is being served in the conservatory of St. Clare's School's Nursery Class by Gena Parrillo. On receiving end of "dash" of cream is Michael Shippey. Overall hostess for event is teacher, Mrs. Corinne Bonemps.

Photo by Jake Jacob

### Apples provide festive and economical holiday treats

MISSISSIPPI STATE — The apple in your fruit bowl links you with legend, while its autumn aroma and crispness beckons you to the spicy, snappy, gay outdoors of today.

With their shiny bright-colored coats, apples are their own best display packages, says Mrs. Ann Rushing, marketing specialist, Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service. In most supermarkets you'll find them stacked to buy by the piece or pound, in tray packs, and in family-size transparent bags. Often the packaged ones are labeled with the kind of apple, its U. S. grade, and the supermarket brand name — all quality buying helps for you.

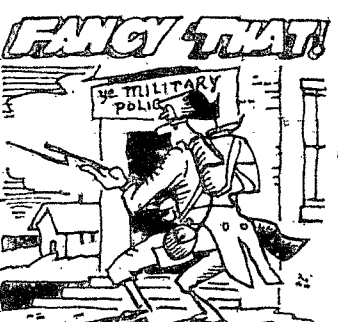
Tart firm apples are generally referred to as cooking apples, and the sweeter varieties as eating apples, although many kinds

are tagged "all purpose." When you buy apples, select firm, bright fruit, noticing the size as well as the variety. An apple that's about two and one-half inches in diameter is ideal for all-round use. Smaller fruit — usually lower in price — is perfect for turning into sauce or pie. Large fruit is best for baking, explains the specialist.

The McIntosh is a medium-sized apple in deep red striped with yellow. It is tart and juicy — ideal for cooking and eating raw. The Winesap is small to medium in size and is deep red dotted with white. It is crisp and has good keeping qualities for eating and baking. Large and greenish yellow with red stripes is the Rome Beauty. Firm and crisp, it is ideal for baking and cooking. Excellent for all uses is the slightly tart and juicy Jonathan. This

apple is small to medium in a rich red speckled with gold color.


Mrs. Rushing says, any time of day, served any way, apples are one of the biggest bargains nutritionally and economically that you can buy!



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**BWYC**  
**Backwash**  
By ANN STIEFFEL

**JUNIOR DANCE**—The Bay Waveland Yacht Club Juniors will have a big holiday dance on Tuesday, Dec. 30, from 8 p.m. to midnight. Music by KOLOUR. Donations \$2.50.

**SUGAR BOWL REGATTA**—New Orleans Yacht Club will host the Annual Sugar Bowl Regatta on Dec. 26, 27, and 28. Woody Stieffel will represent Bay-Waveland in the Gulf Yachting Association Race of Champions in Flying Scots.

### Mrs. Asher's pupils present yule recital

Mrs. Terrence Asher presented her eighth annual Christmas piano and organ recital Sunday, Dec. 21, at her home.

Participating in the program were Joanna Spiers, who played "Joy To The World" and "The Entertainer;" Larry Smith Jr., "For Elise and Minuet;" Terrence Asher Jr., "The Harpsichord, Mission Impossible and Spider Dance;" Mrs. Linda Henley, "Sitting at the Feet of Jesus" and "Blessed Jesus Loves You too;" Tina Henley, "Jingle Bells" and "Up On The House Top;" James San Fillippo, "Colour My World;" Kathy Martinovich, "First Noel;" Julie Martinovich, "It Came Upon The Midnight Clear" and "Sunrise-Sunset;" Laurie Martinovich, "Jingle Bells" and "Silent Night;" Mary Moran, "Come To The Sea" and "O Holy Night;" Mrs. Cora Collier, "Silent Night,"

Sally Moran, "Mary Had A Little Lamb" and "Jingle Bells;" Mrs. Selma George, "Auld Lang Syne;" "Hark The Herald Angels Sing" and "O Little Town of Bethlehem;" Debra Asher, "You're All I Want For Christmas" and "Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer;" Vincent Halterlein and Derrick Collier-duet, "Marching" and Mrs. Asher, "O Come All Ye Faithful" and "White Christmas."

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A loser says, "Nobody knows."  
When a winner makes a mistake, he says: "I was wrong."  
When a loser makes a mistake, he says: "It wasn't my fault."  
A winner credits his "good luck" for winning, even though it isn't good luck.  
A loser blames his "bad luck" for losing, even though it isn't bad luck.  
A winner knows how, and when, to say "Yes" and "No."  
A loser says: "Yes, but" and "Perhaps not" at the wrong times; for the wrong reasons.  
A winner works harder than a loser, and has more time.  
A loser is always "too busy" to do what is necessary.  
A winner goes through a problem.  
A loser goes around it, and never gets past it.  
A winner makes commitments.  
A loser makes promises.  
A winner shows he's sorry by making up for it.  
A loser says: "I'm sorry." But he does the same thing the next time.  
A winner knows what to fight for, and when to compromise.  
A loser compromises when he shouldn't, and fights for what isn't worth-while.  
A winner says: "I'm good, but not as good as I ought to be."  
A loser says: "I'm not as bad as a lot of other people."  
A winner listens.  
A loser just waits until it's his turn to talk.  
A winner would rather be admired than liked, although he would prefer both.  
A loser would rather be liked than admired, and is even willing to pay the price of mild contempt for it.  
A winner feels strong enough to be gentle.  
A loser is never gentle; he is either weak or pettily tyrannous by turns.  
A winner respects those superior to him, and tries to learn something from them.  
A loser resents those superior to him, and tries to find cliques in their armor.  
A winner explains.  
A loser explains away.  
A winner feels responsible for more than his job.  
A loser says: "I only work here."  
A winner says: "There ought to be a better way to do it."  
A loser says: "That's the way it's always been done here."  
A winner paces himself.  
A loser has only two speeds: hysterical and lethargic.

One of the finest writers I know, Syd Harris, should be quickly credited with the above. Many years ago he gave me permission to utilize his cogent message in my work as a consultant, teacher, lecturer, and writer. Profit-oriented managers always have the "winner's viewpoint." I've learned this lesson repeatedly after studying the behaviors of professional managers who get the job done.

Yes! When you sum it all up, a person's attitude is invariably the key to his (or her) behavior.

And, management wants, and needs, winners who are solution finders.



By  
Dr. Whitt N. Schultz  
Kenilworth, Illinois

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Dr. Schultz is a successful business executive, noted writer, lecturer, teacher and career consultant. He has worked with Earl Nightingale and served on the executive staff of W. Clement Stone's Achievement Motivation Program, Bell Telephone and Encyclopedia Britannica. He is now vice president of Executive Careers, Inc., Wilmette, Ill.

**NOTE:** Readers can secure a free list of personal success developmental materials written by Dr. Schultz by writing to him at this address: Dr. Whitt N. Schultz, P.O. Box 100, Dept. SCE, Kenilworth, Illinois 60043. Please always send a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

### Around the clubhouse

#### EXTENSION-HOMEMAKERS

Bay St. Louis Extension Homemakers Club held its annual Christmas party Thursday afternoon in the Extension auditorium with 18 members attending. The Christmas theme

decorated the auditorium and the tables. Guests of the group were Mrs. Norine Barnes, Extension Home Economist, and Mrs. Ethel Favre, secretary.

It was announced the club will hold its next meeting Jan. 15 at the Agriculture Center.

## Holiday Greetings

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, O.B. Taylor, Jr., Trustee in said deed of trust, will on the 5th day of January, 1976 offer for sale at public outcry, and sell within legal hours, (being between the hours of 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M.), at the front door of the County Court House of the County of Hancock, at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described property lying and being situated in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Lot 56, Milieu Village, First Addition to the City of Bay St. Louis, County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, as per map or plat thereof on file and of record in Plat Book 2, Page 89 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in me as Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE this the 1st day of December, 1975.

O.B. Taylor, Jr., Trustee  
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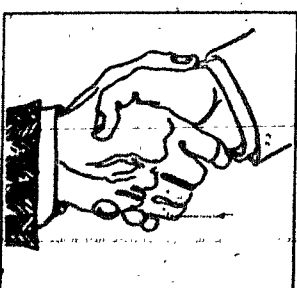
## Vital Statistics

The following applied for marriage licenses at the Hancock County Circuit Clerk's Office during the period Dec. 17 - Dec. 23.

Dec. 17 - Glen Christian Frey, 23, 4131 Prytania Street, New Orleans and Margaret Nell Christianson, 26, 3418 Coliseum Street, New Orleans.

Dec. 22 - Henry Ferdinand Schwartz III, 42, Route 2, Box 516, Lakeshore and Myrna Baum LaFontaine, 36, 1109 Rue de la Salle, Waveland.

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## Guest Editorial

### A better return

There is general agreement by the public that government at all levels is not as efficient as it could be if managed properly. That is true not only of federal and state government but also county government.

The Mississippi Democratic Council has published a study of county management practices in Mississippi and has proposed some viable suggestions which county government in the state should review for their use.

The report says the boards of supervisors should seek to direct themselves of the numerous administrative duties which plague every supervisor in Mississippi. They should, the Council recommends, seek to become the overall legislative and policy-making body for the county. The administrative duties would be handled by a county manager appointed by the board, trained in public administration and who would understand the numerous controls and regulations placed on the counties by higher levels of government.

The board should be like the board of directors of a major company. They should give directions to the manager, who would then execute their orders. Government could operate much more efficiently if it were managed and operated like a business.

And government would not be out of the hands of the people. The Council says this system would keep government on the grass roots level by freeing the supervisors of the day-to-day administrative worries. More time could be spent on charting the proper course for the county to take in the future. Like a company board of directors, the supervisors would still serve at the will of the stockholders - the voters.

Through the county manager system, the people would get better return on their tax dollars.

## KERSHNER'S COMMENTARY

By Dr. Howard E. Kershner

### Fighting With Our Hands Tied

We are indebted to Senator Goodwater for getting them unclassified, and to Senator Evans writing in HUMAN EVENTS September 29, 1975, for the information that the rules under which our boys had to fight in Vietnam ran to 43 pages of some 450 detailed separate instructions. Before our men could fight, they and their officers had to determine which rule or rules applied to the particular engagement, and then determine when, if anything, they could do under the rule book. It seems incredible that there is one of the rules.

Prior to subjecting urban areas to an air attack, even when fire is being recorded from the area, inhabitants must be warned by leaflets, loudspeakers, or other appropriate means prior to the attack, and given sufficient time to evacuate the area.

By the time all this could be done, of course, it would usually be too late for either offensive or defensive action.

Modify this rule by 450, and imagine field commanders and men under heavy fire, reading the rule book to decide if and how they could defend themselves.

One rule provided that no North Vietnamese soldier on which a Third Nation aircraft was present could be attacked. All the Communists had to do was set down a place of some other communist country on an airfield, and it became immune.

In other words, the Communists won the war by insulating the Democratic who gave the rules governing the North Vietnamese soldier sitting at the military desk in Hanoi or some other place from the attack, and the fact that our soldiers were fighting in the field.

One rule provided that no American soldier could be shot by a North Vietnamese soldier unless the American soldier was first warned by leaflets, loudspeakers, or other appropriate means prior to the attack, and given sufficient time to evacuate the area.

By the time all this could be done, of course, it would usually be too late for either offensive or defensive action.



## Washington Report

By: Rep. Trent Lott

### REVIEWING 1975

What are some of the major pieces of legislation approved during the first session of the 94th Congress and why are they important?

Those questions will, of course, be the subjects of lively debates for many Monday Morning Quarterbacks now that Congress has called it quits for the year. After all, those very bills sparked many spirited debates on the House and Senate floors before final passage.

Take H. R. 3471, for example, the widely-discussed New York City bill. If that doesn't stir your interest, try H. R. 3472, the emergency railroad bill, or H. R. 3473, the emergency housing measure, or any number of other bills. The New York City bill was a major piece of legislation, in my view, simply because it set a disturbing precedent.

Like many of my colleagues who voted against it, I can't help but believe that we've opened the flood gates.

The measure sets up the Intergovernmental Emergency Assistance Board, which is vested with the power to issue loan guarantees to troubled cities and states. They can expect a lot of business in the months and years ahead.

H. R. 3388, the emergency housing bill, was passed by the House in mid-April and was signed by the President in July. It was supposed to provide a badly-needed shot in the arm to a vital industry that was suffering from our nation's economic woes.

The bill provided emergency assistance to the housing industry by subsidizing mortgage interest rates for middle income families. Unfortunately, it didn't assist the industry as much as was hoped.

On the education front, Congress studied H. R. 3470, H. R. 3471, and S. 2857. These bills would amend and extend the federal government's higher education programs, including student aid.

The House and Senate waited until December to pass the energy and tax bills. It should go without saying that both are "major" pieces of legislation, although neither is the kind of legislation that most Americans wanted or expected.

As in 1974, there was emergency legislation for the railroad industry. One was another bailout for the Penn-Central Railroad, the other a railroad jobs bill that authorized federal money for work in repairing and improving essential railroads.

As far as Mississippi and other southern states are concerned, the extension of the Voting Rights Act of 1965 was of major interest. Many of us insisted that it be revised to cover all 50 states rather than a selected handful of states, but our arguments fell on deaf ears - and the bill was passed over our objections.

One major bill that failed to get out of the starting blocks was a national health insurance measure. At last report, it was out of the Ways and Means Committee and into the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee.

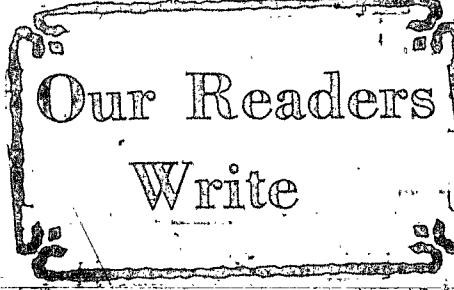
National health insurance, however, was not the only health bill we studied during 1975. The House approved both the National Health Service Corps Amendments and the Nurses Training Act.

The National Health Service Corps bill simply extends a system that encourages participation in rural areas by qualified medical personnel. The Nurses Training Act provides assistance for students in nursing schools as well as assistance for construction of nursing facilities.

Other bills calling for Social Security reform and Food Stamp reform also failed to get final action. Both will be on the docket again during the second session, which is slated to begin in mid-January.

As we look back on the year and consider the fact that the House alone had more than 800 votes - which makes it one of the busiest years in the history of the Congress - the final legislative score is pretty poor. In consulting with various sources, as well as reviewing our own list of major legislation, it is difficult to find a half dozen really historical bills passed during 1975.

All in all, it was a very busy year on Capitol Hill. Let's just hope that the 1976 version of Congress will produce better results.



Editor, Sea Coast Echo  
I am seeking men and officers who served aboard the mighty aircraft carrier, the U.S.S. TICONDEROGA. Every man who ever served on this fine ship is entitled to join our group. We will be having our next annual reunion this coming May at Ticonderoga, NY. If interested, and for more details, write me giving your rate/rank, the Division or Air Group, and year(s) on board.

James H. Morgan, Jr.  
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## A Christmas Poem

The young mother (so very young!)  
Smiles softly to behold Him  
And takes a ragged swaddling cloth  
To tenderly enfold Him  
His infant eyes gaze upon  
A world of strife and sorrow  
Does He see now the silent tree  
Awaiting some tomorrow?  
But loving fingers take  
His hand  
With playfulness, caressing,  
He stretches infant arms to her,  
As if in some new blessing  
The mother laughs with sweet delight  
At this endearing game  
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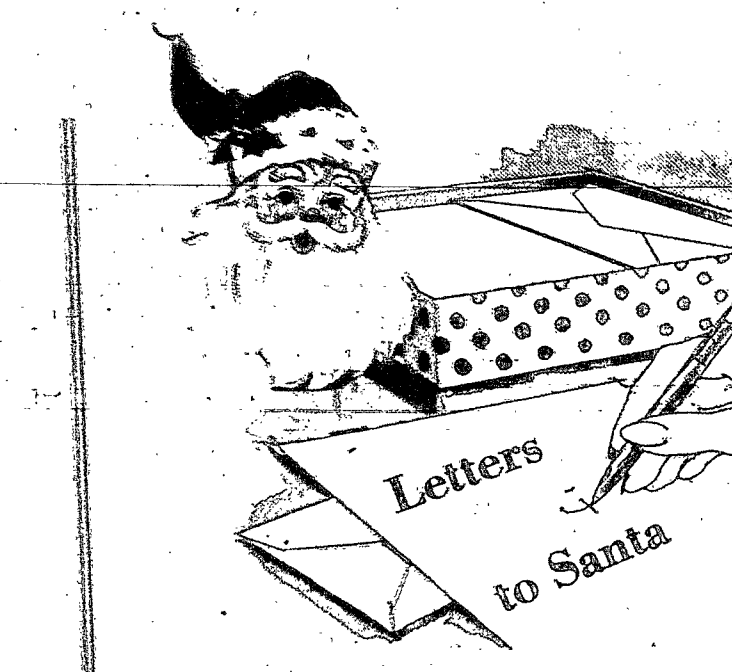
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Dear Santa,  
I am 3-years-old. All I want for Christmas is a toy and candy. I love you, Santa. My sister Amy is, writing this letter for me because I cannot write. But I know my A. B. C's.

From,  
Susan Monti



## BICENTENNIAL NEWS & NOTES

Today's column is a tribute to S. Grady Thigpen, Sr. because he is our very own Hancock and Pearl River County humspun historian! Recently, his latest book OLD DAYS AND OLD WAYS rolled off the Vantage Press, and his foreword tells us: "I began a long planned and much dreamed about venture to collect the history, folklore and record of folkways in my section of the country when I became 72 years of age in 1962. I have called on and interviewed over 200 old people living in this general area - people who were born between 1870 and 1900." Thigpen said, "If I had not gotten these interesting stories (from old people) they would surely have been lost forever."

S. Grady Thigpen was my first school principal. He came to "our town," Poplarville, the year I entered the first grade and I have not forgotten the amazed look on his face the day he dragged me feet-first from beneath the

sticks by the "guiding purpose" that is the degree of knowledge of the subject. Either from first hand experience or from vivid accounts given by friends and neighbors, Thigpen records wash-days, corn cribs, outdoor privies, berry pickings, soap-making, hog-killing, horse-drawn taxi service, kerosene cans with Irish potato spout stoppers, and streaking to the swim-hole.

What I treasure most about Grady Thigpen is his sense of true values. In writing of our heritage he says: "We had great men 200 years ago - even greater than now in my opinion. They were educated - mostly self-educated, but highly educated - to fit their time and its need. While Washington, Jefferson, Franklin and others of their time had no college degrees, no titles or doctor of this, that or the other, they were highly educated men in the real definition of education."



by Joe Pilet

school's steps where I was making an attempt to "skip chapel." Later on he married our neighbor Tate's beautiful daughter and relocated in Pileynure.

With Grady Thigpen the art of conversation is not dead! He knows how to listen, to ask the proper question, to have empathy with those he interviews. When he writes he reveals a respect, a keen insight into the hearts and minds of our frontier folks. A reader can almost see the moss on the wooden buckets that drew water from the boardwalk, and smell the cedar and see the sparkle as water splashes from the bucket to the ground. Having mastered American composition and rhetoric, Grady Thigpen now cheerfully throws away the rule books and tells it like it was, and never mind where the punctuation lies.

For example, he writes, "When my mother found that the snake was eating my father's toes to that it was eaten



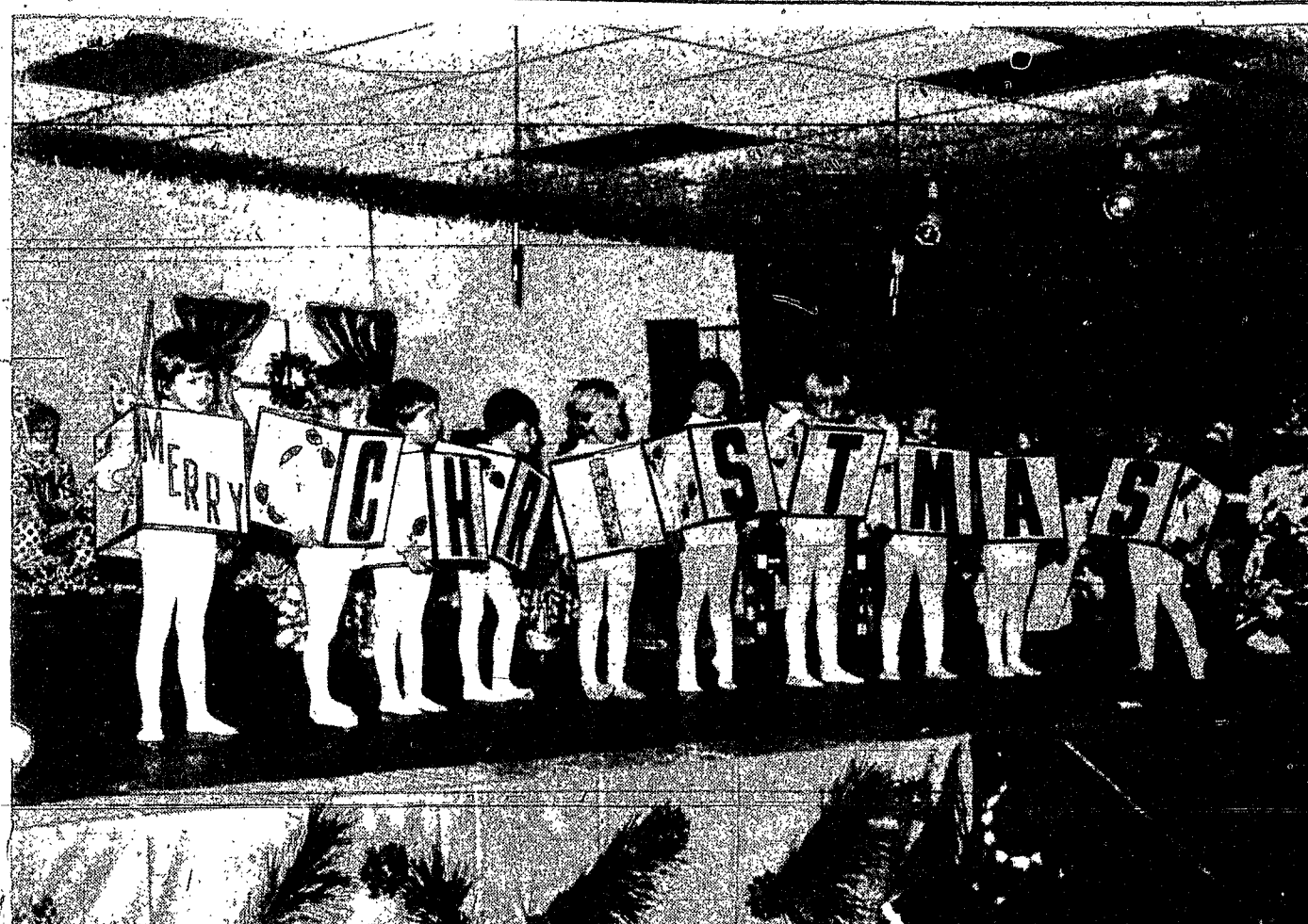
THE ARMY RESERVE  
PART OF WHAT YOU EARN  
IS PRIDE

## Birthday party held for

Mrs. Benefield

Mrs. Bettie Jones Benefield, Bay St. Louis, was honored on her 80th birthday Dec. 18 with a party and dinner at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Avera of Quitman. Attending were Arlin Avera, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Long and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Barker all of Quitman; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Henson and son Brian, Meridian; Mr. and Mrs. Houston Jones, Hattiesburg; Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Jones, Amite, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Grafton Jones and children Susan and Dwight, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones and children Jerry, Patricia, Jodie and Louise all of Hammond, La.; and Mr. and Mrs. Burney Fante and children Ashley Sue and Leahy, Baton Rouge, La.





Christmas greetings

St. Clare's students spell out "Merry Christmas" during their annual Christmas play.

-Photo by Ed Fayard

### TV Personality Agrees...

#### "Hobbies Are a Part of Living"

Being a star of a TV show is not all glamour. It's long hours of concentrated preparation; the need to solve the problems of scripts, of people and budgets day after day. It's making instant decisions that can't be changed once those TV sets are turned on.

Dinah Shore, whose TV series entertains millions has a formula for maintaining her sense of humor and enabling her to relax. It's a simple credo. It's having a hobby. Dinah has many. She is an acclaimed needlepointer, a talented artist, an avid photographer, one of Hollywood's finest tennis players and a golfer who brought national recognition to the most notable Tournament in the history of women's professional golf.

It is Dinah's enthusiasm for hobbies that made her the natural choice of the Hobby Industry of America to be the Honorary Chairwoman of National Hobby Month; an event proposed by a Joint Congressional Resolution passed by the U.S. Senate. Dinah's only difference with the Congressional Resolution stating that "many of the nation's doctors, educators, and psychologists recognize the value of hobbies" is that it should have included every profession in the entertainment field. Just as many business executives recognize a need for a hobby, she says, so too, do people in the entertainment business.

"Hobbies are a part of living," says Dinah. "They keep you from being confined to a narrow sphere of interest limited to work or home responsibilities. They give your mind a chance to clear itself, put problems and worries aside, making it easier to handle them objectively."

There are intriguing hobbies for most everyone. It could be collecting stamps, butterflies or rare books. It might be building scale models of cars, airplanes or ships, or operating your own model railroad empire. There is a fascination, too, in polishing rocks or making jewelry or any of a number of craft and art projects.

She strongly recommends hobbies that involve: the outdoor hobby sport of flying radio control planes or sailing model yachts. "Whatever the hobby," says the vibrant TV

personality, "it brings a feeling of pride and accomplishment. Most importantly it broadens the hobbyists' horizons; makes them happier on their jobs, at home and with their families and friends."

"Having a hobby," Dinah emphasizes, "need not wait until a person is an adult. The earlier youngsters become involved with a hobby the more likely they will grow to be well adjusted adults. Many of the same hobbies that intrigue adults appeal, perhaps in a different way, to children. It gives them a sense of self identity, building their confidence and instilling self discipline and responsibility. Many schools now use scale model kits as learning tools, giving the students a feeling of achievement, and often motivates them toward worthwhile satisfying careers."

Dinah recommends that children be encouraged to take up the craft of converting articles usually thrown away such as tin and aluminum cans, bottles and cardboard containers into practical and decorative objects. It will stimulate their imagination and creativity—and at the same time help to reduce pollution and keep America beautiful. And what a thrifty way, she smiles, to make a smart, individual gift.

"A visit to the public library to read one of the numerous books on hobbies or to a hobby shop," says Dinah, "is a way of discovering a whole new rewarding world."

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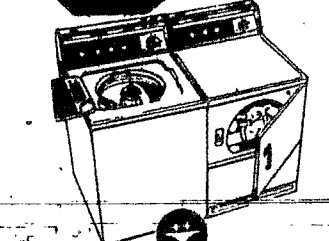
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**FISHING FOR FAVORS**—Two University of Southern Mississippi students aid a retarded child in a "fishing" game during a party hosted by the USM Student Council for Exceptional Children. The group held

several parties during the week prior to Christmas. From left are Nancy Bellamy, Gautier; and August (Butch) Scaffidi, Bay St. Louis, (USM Photo Service)

## Area families sponsor overnight refugee visit

Ten Vietnamese children are to enjoy an overnight holiday visit to Bay St. Louis as the result of invitations issued by members of Project Do, an area teenage action group.

The holiday visit arose out of an activities day recently sponsored by Project Do members for the overseas refugees on the campuses of Our Lady's Academy and St. Stanislaus College.

Brother Canisius Schell, Do's director, said Monday that the children would be arriving here by bus at noon, Friday, Dec. 26, and would return home via the 4:15 p.m. bus the following day.

The children, all from a Vietnamese housing settlement area in Algiers, Louisiana will be staying with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Koch, 556 South Beach Boulevard, Bay St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Boos, Clermont Harbor; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ross, Seventh Street, Bay St. Louis; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kidd, 113 Mollere Drive, Waveland; Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ladner, 414 Ballentine, Bay St. Louis; and Mr. and Mrs. Peter Skladzien, 43 Third Ave., Henderson Point.

Brother Canisius said he expects the Project Do group

to experience real growth and activity during 1976.

Included on the program for the coming year are a party at the Crippled Children's Center in Kiln; a picnic for the Chinchuba Institute for the Deaf; a field trip to the Vietnamese settlement in Algiers, La.; an open air concert for the area's senior citizens; an extension of the Vietnamese children's visits to area homes during the Easter holidays; further visits to elderly shut-ins; and a field day for Hancock County special education classes.



## Bicentennial Ball contestants

Contestants for King and Queen of the 1976 Bicentennial Ball, sponsored by Our Lady of the Gulf Carnival Association, include from left John Hill, Mrs. Sheldon (Susan) Seuzeneau, Mrs. Nola Kingston, and Russell Elliott. The 43rd annual ball is scheduled Feb. 27.

—Photo by Ed Fayard

## Bicentennial Ball

### contestants told

Colonel Randolph C. Bourgeois, executive director, Our Lady of the Gulf Carnival Association, announced the 1976 King and Queen Contestants for the Bicentennial Ball.

John Hill and Mrs. Sheldon (Susan) Seuzeneau will compete with Russell Elliott and Mrs. Nola Kingston to reign over the 43rd annual Carnival Ball scheduled Friday, Feb. 27, 1976. The team fund-raising events will begin Jan. 14 and continue through Feb. 15.

Ronnie Artigue is Captain of the Hill-Seuzeneau team and Jerry Seuzeneau is Captain of the Elliott-Kingston team. The team Captains will begin, immediately with an advertising campaign for the program.

—Photo by Jake Jacob

pressed his appreciation to the candidates for accepting a challenge that will benefit the people of Our Lady of the Gulf Parish.

## Correction

Information in a cutline, tagged Oregon Bound, which depicted the loading of a conveyor boom onto a rail car, was incorrect as it appeared in Sunday's edition of the Echo.

The cutline should have read that the conveyor boom was built and loaded by W. & A. Engineers Inc., of Pass Christian for Buehler-Miag Inc. Three similar sets of conveyor booms were built and shipped by the company by barge in November.

County agent notes/ John Smith

## Seedmen's association schedules annual meeting

The annual meeting of the Mississippi Seedmen's Association will be held in Biloxi at the Sheraton Motor Hotel, Jan. 11-13. About 250 seedmen and representatives of related industries are expected to participate.

Jan. 19 is "Soybean Day" at Mississippi State University. Besides naming winners in the soybean production contest and selecting Princess Soya, much good production and marketing information will be discussed.

Feb. 3-4 is the time of the third annual Delta Ag-Expo in Cleveland. Emphasis will be on rice, cotton and soybean production. It will be well worth your time to attend this event.

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A little time spent now will help make your lawn mower and garden equipment motors

## Witnesses conclude assembly

Jehovah's Witnesses of Louisiana Circuit No. 3 have just concluded a two day assembly Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 20-21 at the St. Bernard Civic Auditorium in Chalmette, Louisiana.

According to James D. Dobbins, presiding minister of the Bay St. Louis Congregation, nearly 4,000 were present to hear the public address at 2 p.m. Sunday entitled, "There Is Much More To Life!" James A. Hinderer, regional representative of the Watchtower Bible & Tract Society delivered the public address.

A resolution was adopted on Sunday by the congregation decrying the atrocities perpetrated against Jehovah's Witnesses in Malawi by the Young Pioneers, a political youth group of the ruling party of President H. Zamuzu Banda.

A variety of talks and demonstrations on timely Bible subjects were given during the two day session.

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Never let an air cooled engine run at idle speed for any length of time. Open the throttle to regular operation speed in order to keep the

engine from overheating.



## Oh Christmas Tree

Kimberly Lockhart of St. Clare's Kindergarten in Waveland, shows prize winning form as she displays qualifications required for successful Christmas Tree

decorating. She later informed us that big candy canes were full of smaller items. Most of these got chomped up at class party.

—Photo by Jake Jacob

## Awaiting final bell

Hands clenched in excitement as final bell before Christmas rings to dismiss school for holidays, is Patricia Starita, third grade student, at North Bay Elementary School. Room teacher is Mrs. Jamie Ryan.

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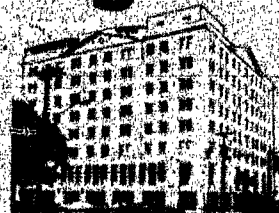
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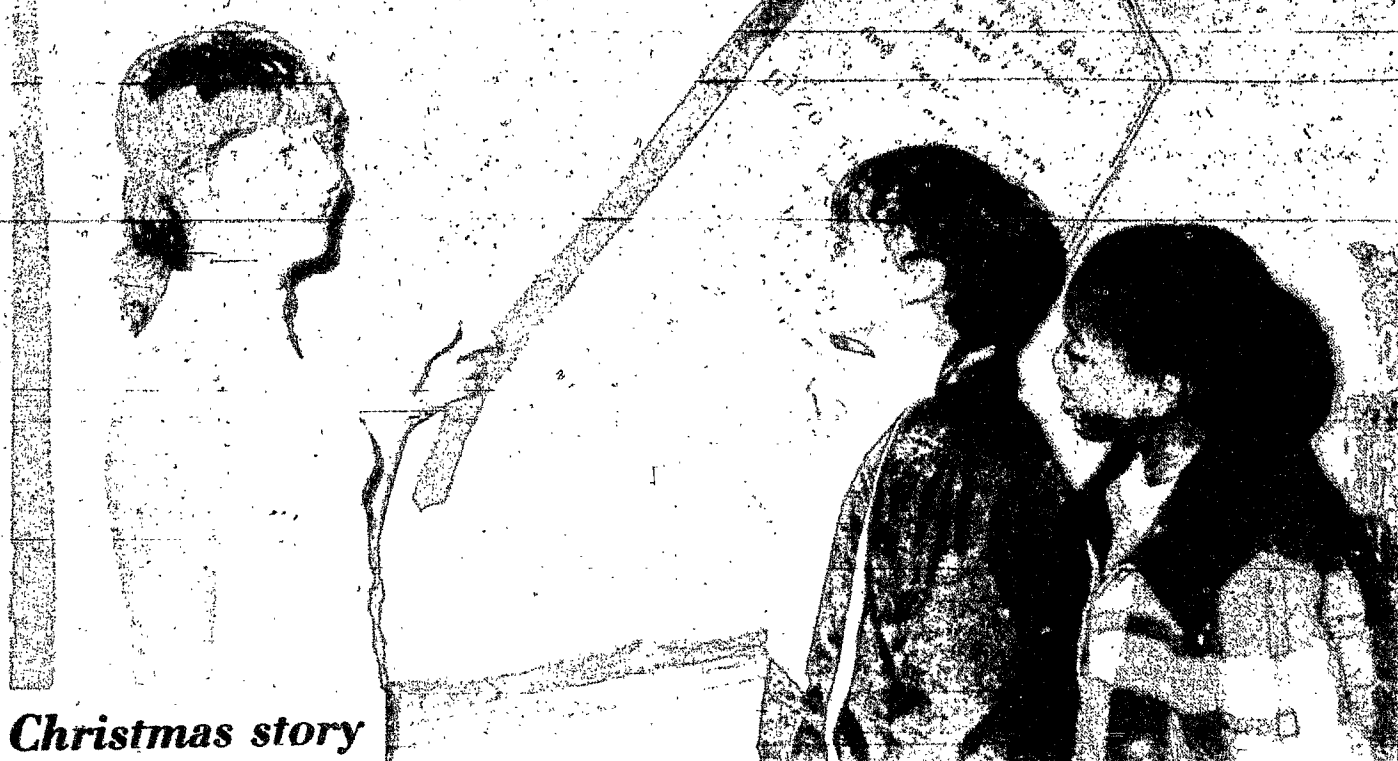


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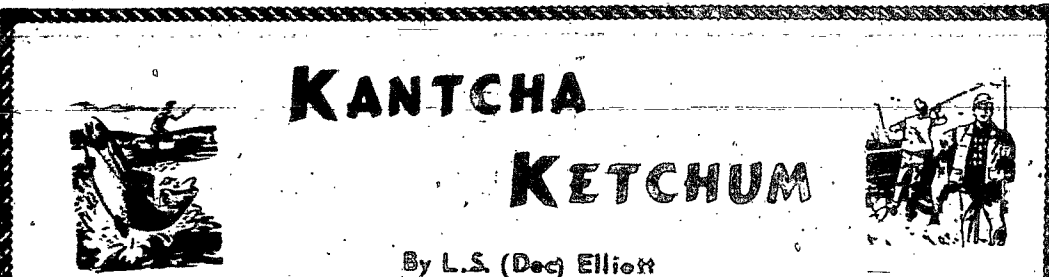




### Christmas story

The story of Christmas as told in the Book of Luke is studied in North Bay Elementary School by students of Mrs. Robert L. Warner's Fifth Grade room. Involved are, from left, Melissa

Schenk, Anthony Prendergast, and David Platt.  
—Photo by Jake Jacob



### KANTCHA KETCHUM

By L.S. (Doc) Elliott

Had the coldest weather of this winter last Wednesday when a real cold front came in. It was in the low 30's Thursday and warmed up the end of the week. Did you know that bass always feed just before a front. Had good luck with them when we caught 20, some running over two lbs. Believe it or not they were hitting popping bugs and underwater baits. They were caught in the Pipe Line Canal down at Ansley. The water right now is perfectly clear in the canal and adjacent bayous.

Some nice speckles were gotten on live minnows in Bayou Caddy and a few on plugs by trolling. There is a nice launching ramp at the mouth of Bayou Caddy free to public use. Trolling is mostly good up the bayou this time of the year. Colder weather should bring in more of the speckled beauties. Red fish are also caught on dead shrimp as well as flounders. These can be caught while fishing from the bank. You can drive to the bayou itself or fish in the canals which are nearby. Most all kinds of salt water fish can be caught most any old time.

Arthur Miller and his fishing buddy have been doing good with bass while using fly rods and casting rods. Most any type of plugs and bugs are getting the prized beauties.

Bob Cruikshanks is a boat builder. Right now he is building a 54 foot fishing boat. Bob also does quite a bit of fishing himself.

Jesse Free who works at Sportman's Paradise is another fresh water fisherman. Jesse was telling us of the big bass he has been getting lately. Pay Jesse a visit. He knows the best baits to buy and the best way to use them.

Speaking of Sportman's Paradise, it is a new tackle shop on the highway and is owned and operated by Carl Gustafson and his son Carl, Jr. Carl, Jr. and I fished together years ago. Both he and his dad are expert fishermen and know where and how to get them.

During Christmas and New Year sportsmen take to the



**SPORTSMEN OF THE WEEK** — Arthur Miller and Frank Blanton wanted to be taken together. They make a good two-some combination. Both go salt and fresh water

woods to try out their new fly rod, baits, gun and other equipment they got for Christmas presents. If you go hunting or fishing, be careful. A gun is always dangerous. Not taking proper precautions when being in a boat is also dangerous. Be safe and you can go again. Don't be a smart guy. Safety is the best policy.

Everyone receives gifts at Xmas. Received one last week, a new great-grandson, born to Sherry and Beau Kelley. Hope he will like fishing like his great-grand pa. He is No. 20.

Learned from a past master at geese and duck hunting that if you want to kill geese go to the outside of the Louisiana marsh and if you want to kill ducks go to the inside of the marsh. This has been proven. If it is too cold to go, stay home. Think this is good advice.

August Rauxet, Luke Elliott, John Ristolph and Joe Comeaux made their annual duck and geese hunt out to the marsh over the weekend. Haven't heard yet how they made out. If they didn't get any it is still a wonderful trip. However, they usually bring home the limit. They went on

fishing. Blanton is a retired highwayman with the Miss. Hi-Way Dept. Both retired they do a lot of fishing and get their share of fish.

August's boat, a 240 horsepower job.

Richard "Judge" Homes left Dec. 20th for Champaign, Illinois for two weeks. Judge hopes to do some hunting while up north. He expects to hunt pheasants. If you can't do better, bring us a feather, Judge.

Mike Choina of New Orleans managed to get in quite a bit of hunting while visiting his father Darrell Choina on Nicholson Road last weekend.

Had a letter from my daughter and family in Italy wanting me to come over for Christmas. A little too far, and besides we have everything right here in Hancock County, fishing, hunting, etc.

Bud Favre and wife do salt water fishing. They are another good couple to know. Not bad at dancing, either.

A Merry Xmas to all our readers of Kantcha Ketchum, Dec Elliott.

### Pearlington Notes

Happy Birthday Ann Smith, Martin McArthur III, Mike Wynan.

Our sympathy to family and friends of Mr. Sammy Giveans.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barber, Dianne and Lori Watkins traveled to Fla. for the funeral of Mr. Barber's father.

The room mothers of Charles B. Murphy School report that the students Christmas party was a huge success complete with a visit from Santa. We room mothers appreciate all the help received to make the party a success.

Everyone enjoyed a Christmas program Sunday night at the First Southern Baptist Church presented by Mrs. Walter Hardee and members of the church.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Garry Wymann who are proud parents of a baby girl weighing 6 lbs. 15 oz. named Kerry Alicia.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wymann Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gipson.

### St. Clare's Parish News

New Year's Day Mass schedule at St. Clare Church, Waveland, will be Vigil Mass at 6 p.m. Dec. 31 and at 10 a.m. New Year's Day.

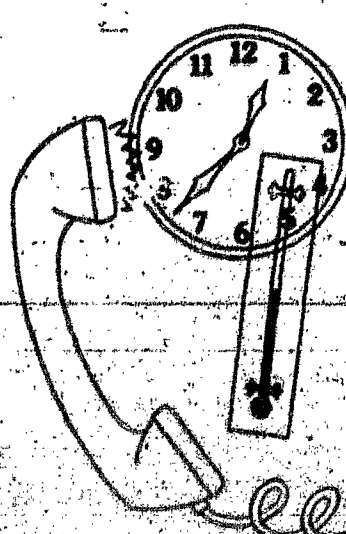
Monthly communion for members of the Sodality of Our Lady of St. Clare's Parish will be Jan. 4 at 9 a.m. Mass.

Preparation for receiving the Sacrament of Confirmation will be held for six consecutive Mondays beginning Jan. 5 from 7 to 8 p.m. at St. Clare's.

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### MYF elects new officers

New officers were elected at a recent meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship (MYF) of Main Street United Methodist Church, Bay St. Louis, and United Methodist Church, Waveland.

Joining president Debbie Skelton, and secretary-treasurer, Kim Scott, are new officers Jim Whitfield, vice president; Susan Hensley, recreation leader; Kim Scott, prayer leader; Tracey Kendall, program leader; and Beth Hall, reporter.

As part of their activities for the Christmas season, MYF members caroled at the county home and delivered baskets of fruit and sweets to area residents.



Happy Anniversary America! We're 200 years old and still looking good!

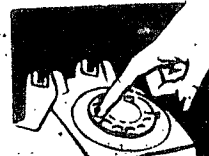
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## The performing arts

## N.O. coroner Frank Minyard enjoys Jazz

By JAMES CARROLL  
BOOKER III

The French Market Jazz Band, New Orleans, first and finest Dixieland-gospel-blues group, recently featured city coroner Dr. Frank Minyard as guest soloist. Dr. Minyard frequently sits in with the unit as guest trumpeter, and stirred quite a controversy when the French Market Jazz Band and the coroner were arrested as the result of complaints filed by antique owners and proprietors of various other businesses. The complainants protested that their sales were drastically affected by the public's total attention upon the groovy sounds outside, instead of bells ringing on the machines inside.

Scott Hill recently announced that on the night of their concert at the municipal auditorium, the band was informed that an engagement has been secured at the Las Vegas Desert Inn in mid-March and thereafter four times each year for a period of three years.

Bob Thiele of Flying Dutchman Records (distributed by RCA Victor records) signed the group to a contract immediately upon hearing them and produced an album that contains a very commercial, yet artistically exquisite arrangement of "Just a closer walk with thee" (incidentally, Dr. Minyard caused a few tears to be shed at the auditorium when he sat in with the band on this selection following it with "When the Saints Go Marchin' In"). David Lastie, featured saxophonist with the New Orleans based aggregation, also performs with Clarence "Frogman" Henry.

The National Endowment for the Arts is reviewing the creative works of a local composer who applied for a \$10,000 grant, in order to set aside time to compose liturgical music for St. Rose De Lima Church in celebration of the bicentennial. The repertoire would consist of selections considered appropriate for certain religious holidays that coincide with the 200th anniversary of the nation's independence throughout 1976.

Sorry to hear that June Pointer (the youngest of the fabulous Pointer Sisters) has been advised by her physician to retire from the music industry for reasons of health, including mental and physical exhaustion. Ms. Pointer was recently seen on the Carol Burnett show when the girls performed their first and biggest hit record "Yes we can, can, can" (penned by Allen Toussaint, the musical powerhouse of New Orleans.)

Maria Muldner recently completed her latest Warner Brothers album and according to Lenny Waronker (vice-president of the label) it is expected to be her biggest yet. The lovely is scheduled for a

## Lt. Walker is graduated

Navy Lieutenant (junior grade) William B. F. Walker, son of Mrs. Allan P. Walker of 105 Vista Drive, Pass Christian, Miss., was graduated from the Communications Officer Ashore Course at the Naval Education and Training Center, Newport, R. I.

Walker is scheduled to report to Naval Air Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

A 1971 graduate of Mississippi State University, with a Bachelor of Arts Degree, he joined the Navy in October 1971.

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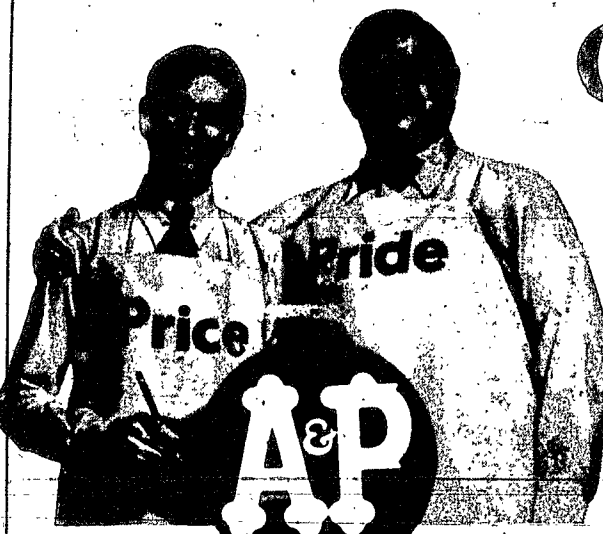
Norbert Hess of Berlin, W.

Germany, has announced plans for a European Blues Roots tour next year that is to feature "New Orleans night."

Some of the performers

scheduled are Earl King, Robert Parker, Benny Spellman, Allen Toussaint, Ernie K-Doe, Irma Thomas, Aaron Neville, The Olympia

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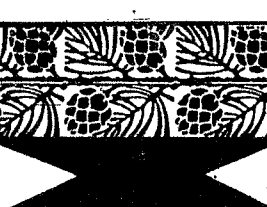
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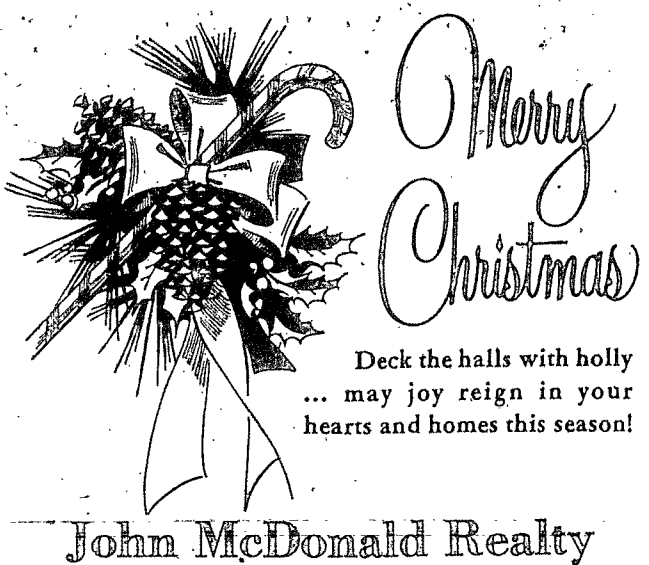
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The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Given under my hand and official seal of office, this 1st day of December, 1975.

John D. Rutherford, Jr., Clerk

Board of Supervisors

Hancock County, Mississippi

12-11, 12-18, 12-25-75

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

CAUSE NO. 12,915

Letters of Administration on the Estate of Mrs. Ethel Scrivner Ramsey, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 25th day of November, 1975; therefore, notice is hereby given, requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so probate and register same in six months will bar the claim.

This, the 4th day of December, A.D., 1975.

William T. Ramsey

Administrator of the

Estate of

Mrs. Ethel Scrivner Ramsey,

Deceased

Favre &amp; Gein

Attorneys at Law

Bay St. Louis, Miss.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NO. 12,914

Letters of Testamentary having been issued by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 26th day of November, 1975, to the undersigned as Co-Executors of the Estate of H. W. Virden, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, within six months of the date of the first publication hereof, and that failure to probate and register said claims within said six-month period will forever bar the same.

This, the 28th day of November, 1975.

George L. Virden

Peter L. Virden

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

HANCOCK COUNTY.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

TO CREDITORS

NO. 12,908

OF DR. A.F. BROCK  
Letters testamentary having been granted on the 14th day of November, 1975, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Dr. A.F. Brock, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for Probate and registered according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 12th day of December, A.D., 1975.

Charles Caloway,

Executor.

12-18, 12-25-75, 1-1, 1-8-76

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, will receive sealed bids to be filed with the Clerk of this Board on or before 11:00 a.m., Monday, January 5, 1976 for furnishing to Hancock County the following for the period beginning at the date of acceptance of said bid until December 31, 1976:

Gasoline-regular and premium (specify with certificate attached amount of octane in each), lubricating oil, Number two (No. 2), diesel fuel, greases to be delivered as and when needed to county owned vehicles as at points designated by the Board. (Prospective bidders are cautioned to bid a stable price for the period of this merchandise, or an alternate bid may be made quoting tank wagon prices at time of delivery with given discount).

For the publication of proceedings of the Board of Supervisors and all legal notices for the county as required by Law. All bids will be made in whole or in part.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

John D. Rutherford, Jr., Clerk

Board of Supervisors

Hancock County, Mississippi

12-11, 12-18, 12-25-75

## CHANCERY SUMMONS

NO. 12,666

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

TO: SAMUEL J. DOVE, 2842 SO.

ROBERTSON, NEW ORLEANS, LA

70115; MRS. MILDRED MYERS,

672 EAST 42nd ST., LOS ANGELES,

CALIFORNIA 90011; JAMES

DOVE, 4932 30. MARTIN LUTHER

KING, DRIVE, CHICAGO,

ILLINOIS 60615.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on or before the 27th day of January, A.D., 1976 to defend the suit No. 12,666 to show cause, if any they can, why the final account in the Estate of Leona Archie should not be approved, ratified and confirmed.

The hearing thereof is set at 10:00 A.M. on the 28th day of January, 1976.

This 2nd day of DECEMBER,

A.D., 1975.

John D. Rutherford, Jr., Clerk

Chancery Clerk

Madeline Pendegast, D.C.

12-11, 12-18, 12-25-75

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 12,922

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Charles Fisher, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 4th day of December, 1975, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims to the Clerk of said Court and to have them probated and allowed within six months from this date, failure to do so will bar the claim.

This the 4th day of December, 1975.

Estate of Charles Fisher, Deceased

By: Charles Edward Fisher and

Violet Marie Nelson,

Co-Executors

12-11, 12-18, 12-25, 1-1-76

CHANCERY SUMMONS

NO. 12,916

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

TO: HEIRS AT LAW OF ROBERT

A. GARCIA DECEASED, ALL

PERSONS HAVING ANY RIGHT,

TITLE OR INTEREST IN AND TO

THE LAND DESCRIBED AS

FOLLOWS, TO-WIT:

The East 123 feet of Lots 35 and 36 of Block 24 of Clermont Harbor, as per plat of said subdivision on file in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court, Hancock County, Mississippi.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on or before the 8th day of January, A.D., 1976 to defend the suit No. 12,916 in said Court of MRS. ROBERT A. (BERNIE) GARCIA.

THIS HEARING IS SET AT 10:00 A.M. ON THE 9th day of JANUARY, 1976.

The same being a suit to place heirs in possession of said land above described wherein you are a defendant.

This 1st day of December, A.D., 1975.

(SEAL) John D. Rutherford, Jr.

Chancery Clerk

Madeline Pendegast, D.C.

12-11, 12-18, 12-25-75

SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S

NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, on October 4, 1974,

RONALD E. FAVRE, SR. and wife,

GLENNDA J. FAVRE, executed

Deed of Trust to John P. Maloney,

Trustee for Federal National

Mortgage Association, which Deed

of Trust is recorded in Deed of Trust

Book 183, at Pages 551-553, in the

office of the Chancery Clerk of

Hancock County, Mississippi, and

WHEREAS, by authority of said

Deed of Trust, Federal National

Mortgage Association, the holder of

said Note and Deed of Trust, sub-

stituted Charles K. Pringle as

Trustee therein by instrument dated

February 28, 1975, recorded in Deed

of Trust Book 186, at Page 509, of the

aforesaid records, and

WHEREAS, default having been

made in the payment of the in-

debtedness secured by the said Deed

of Trust and the holder having

requested and directed the un-

derigned Substituted Trustee so to

do, I, on the 8th day of January,

1976, offer for sale at public auc-

tion and sell during legal hours, be-

tween 11:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., at

the main front door of the County

Courthouse for Hancock County at

Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, for cash,

to the highest and best bidder, the

following described land and prop-

erty, lying and being situated in

Hancock County, Mississippi, to-

wit:

Lot 9, Block 2, Spanish Acres Estates to the City of Bay St. Louis, County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, as per map or plat thereof on file of record in Plat Book 3 at Page 31, in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County and State, reference to which is hereby made in and as a part of this description.

I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.

WITNESS MY signature this 8th day of December, 1975.

Charles K. Pringle

Substituted Trustee

12-11, 12-18, 12-25, 1-1-76

## CHANCERY SUMMONS

No. 12,630

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,

HANCOCK COUNTY.

TO: Mrs. Margaret Ann B. Lee

Address: 1224 North 25th Street

Terre Haute, Indiana 47801

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 3rd Monday of February, 1976, to defend the suit No. 12,630 styled "Virgil Ray Lee Vs. Margaret Ann B. Lee," wherein you are defendant.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 8th day of December, 1975.

John D. Rutherford, Jr.,

Chancery Clerk

Madeline Pendegast, D.C.

12-11, 12-18, 12-25-75, 1-1-76

## PUBLIC NOTICE

INVITATION TO BID

FOR OIL, GAS

AND MINERAL LEASE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COUNTY OF JASPER

To all persons interested in the

following described mineral in-

terests held and owned by Jasper

County, Mississippi, underlying

those certain lie lands situated in

Hancock County, Mississippi, as

described more particularly as

follows, to-wit:

TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH,

RANGE 14 WEST

SECTION 17: An undivided one-

half (1/2) interest in the oil, gas and

other minerals owned by Jasper

County, NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, less and

except therefrom 1.3 acres in

Northeast Corner thereof, being 3.60

chains square; NW 1/4 of NE 1/4, less

and except the West 6 chains and 63-

1/2 links thereof, and less and except

66-100ths of an acre described as





**HONORABLE MENTION**—St. Stanislaus football players receiving honorable mention on the Pascagoula River All-Conference football team recently are from left Skip Negrotti, Mike Graeber, and Art Seafelt.

## Make Holiday Food Gifts For Friends

**MISSISSIPPI STATE** — It's time to get in the kitchen and start whipping up some delightfully delicious holiday gifts. Instead of trying to buy a present, surprise your friends and relatives with a gift made by you. There is an extra special meaning behind homemade goodies, plus it's easier on the budget.

There are numerous ideas to choose from, but first consideration should be storage space in the freezer and refrigerator so that you can make some foods in advance, says Mrs. Ann Rushing, marketing specialist, Mississippi Cooperative Extension Service. You can make breads, pound cakes and fruitcakes in advance. You can use apples to make apple nut bread, go an applesauce loaf. Take advantage of sales on eggs and flour and bake several pound cakes in re-

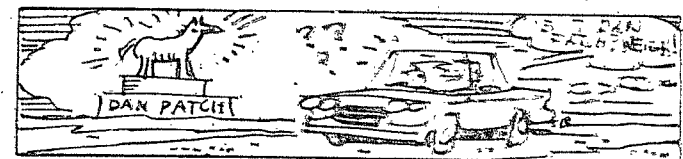
usable aluminum loaf pans. Freeze these items until gift giving time approaches.

If there are cheese lovers on your list prepare a potted cheese recipe (a blend of cheese, herbs, wine and seasonings) and put in crocks or inexpensive plastic containers and then store in the refrigerator. Accompany the gift with a nice cheese knife for spreading. Or, select a variety of cheeses and package with a cheese cutting board, suggests Mrs. Rushing.

Sweets are abundant during the holidays. Inexpensive glass containers

decorated with a bow seem to make homemade candy look even more inviting. There are some delicious easy candy recipes using peanuts or peanut butter, which don't even require a candy thermometer. You can make these ahead and then package for holiday giving.

Smoked turkey, country ham, apples and peanuts are just a few of the many food products which make delicious holiday gifts, says the specialist. They're also great items to have on hand for holiday entertaining.



America's first genuine sports hero was probably nationally beloved horse named Dan Patch, a wooden-legged bay born in 1896 and the first race horse to earn a million dollars for his owner.

# OLD TIME GREETINGS



The Yuletide season of years gone by were always filled with the warmth and cheer of greeting old friends and family song-fests around the piano. This is the kind of season we wish for you, our patrons, as you celebrate Christmas. Happy holidays!

## THE STAFF OF

# The Sea Coast Echo

WHAT BETTER TIME TO WISH ALL OUR GOOD FRIENDS AND PATRONS THE HAPPIEST OF HOLIDAYS AND THE BEST OF EVERYTHING! A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS!

*Peoples Federal*  
SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATION

2 LOCATIONS TO SERVE YOU

111 Court St., Bay St. Louis 467-5594

AND

Our Shopping Center, Waveland 467-9409

